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In re Patent Application of:  
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2010, Applicant respectfully requests favorable reconsideration in view of the remarks made herein.